not want to give a pledge or undertaking. The world is changing very fast.

MR. N. NARAYANA KURUP : In view of the answer given by the Chair I do not wish to move my motion.

The adjournment motions were not pressed.

PRESIDENT ; I am asking the Secretary to remind me of the names of these members during the general discussion of the Budget.

MESSAGE.

SECRETARY : Sir, I beg to report that the following Message has been received from the Secretary to the Sri Chitra State Council :—

" Under Rule 42 of the Travancore Legislative Rules I am directed to inform you that the Sri Chitra State Council at its meeting held on the 27th March 1942 agreed without any amendment to the following Bills which were passed by the Sri Mulam Assembly on the 24th March 1942 : —

(1) The Travancore Civil Procedure Code (Amendment) Bill.
(2) The Travancore Merchandise Marks Bill.

BILLS ASSENTED TO BY HIS HIGHNESS THE MAHARAJA.

SECRETARY : Sir, I beg to report that the following Bills have received the assent of His Highness the Maharaja :—

(1) The Travancore Civil Procedure Code (Amendment) Bill.
(2) The Travancore Merchandise Marks Bill.

PANEL OF CHAIRMEN.

PRESIDENT : Under Rule 3 (2) of the Legislative Rules, I nominate Sadasyatilaka T. K. Velu Pillai and Mr. J. E. A. Pereira on the Panel of Chairmen for this session of the Assembly,

ELECTIONS TO THE PUBLIC ACCOUNTS COMMITTEE AND TO THE STANDING FINANCE COMMITTEE.

PRESIDENT : The House will elect two members each to the Public Accounts Committee and the Standing Finance Committee for 1118. The elections will take place on Thursday, the 30th July 1942. They will be held as usual after the business of the House for the day is over under the Chairmanship of the Deputy President or one of the Panel of Chairmen. The elections will be conducted on the basis of the ordinary system of voting by ballot.

MOTIONS FELICITATING THE DEWAN-PRESIDENT.

MR. J. E. A. PEREIRA (*Commerce and Industry, South*) : Sir, I beg to move the following motion :—

" This Assembly begs to convey to Sachivottama Sir C. P. Ramaswami Aiyar, K. C. S. I., K C. I. E., LL D, its sincere congra ulat ons on his appointment as a Member of the Viceroy's Executive Council. The Assembly also reiterates its belief that the services of Sachivottama Sir C. P. Ramaswamy Aiyar are indispensable for a few more years for completing the industrialisation of the State inaugurated by him and offers its best wishes for the successful discharging of the onerous duties of the Executive Council Membership and hopes that Sachivottama Sir C. P. Ramaswami Aiyar will resume the Dewanship of the State without loss of much time. "

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